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### MINUTES OF BLACKFOOT M. D. MEETING

#### FIRST MEETING 1926

Minutes of the regular meeting of the Council of the Blackfoot M. D. No. 218 held in the Municipal Office at Gleichen on Tuesday, Jan. 12th, 1926, at 10.15 a.m.

Present: Reeve Thorsen, Deputy Reeve McLean and Councilors Maynard and Dow.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted on motion of Councilor McLean.

The report of the delegates to the convention of Alberta Associations of Municipal Districts was left over for a future meeting.

The report of the committee appointed at the last meeting to investigate regarding the proposed bridge and change of road division between 2nd and 12th Sts. was read and discussed.

Coun. McLean: That we agree with the recommendations as submitted at last meeting. Carried.

The road commissioner reported that he had called on the town of Glenora immediately north of the town of Gleichen repaired as authorized at last meeting.

The secretary then reported as follows:

1. That as a result of the protest made to Mr. Gleichen, resident of Glenora at Calgary, the amount of the sewer rate is reduced to \$1.00 monthly and has been increased from \$2.00 to \$1.00.

2. That he had written the Assessment Commissioner with an instruction at last meeting, but so far had received no reply.

A letter was read from Councilor Dunsen stating that owing to being confined in the Belcher Hospital at Calgary he would be unable to attend the meeting.

Coun. Maynard: That the secretary be instructed to send a letter of sympathy to Coun. Dunsen and to enclose a copy of the minutes of this meeting. Carried.

Coun. Maynard: That the secretary-treasurer be bonded with the London Guarantee and Accident Co. for the sum of \$5,000.00.

Coun. Dow: That we receive our subscription to the Western Municipal News. Carried.

The secretary placed before the Council the financial statement for the year ending Dec. 31st last, and read a letter from the auditor stating that the rapid decline in the surplus of the Municipality was due to a heavy expenditure and a comparatively light year.

Coun. Thorsen: That the letter be received and filed and brought up for further consideration when called for at the next meeting. Carried.

Coun. Maynard: That the accounts be audited by the finance committee be paid. Carried.

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Considerable discussion then took place as to the best method of handling the surplus cash now on hand so as to bring in the best return to the municipality.

That the reserve and surplus be invested in 4 1/2% stock, bearing interest at 4 1/2%, such money to be withdrawn from time to time as needed. Carried.

### HOCKEY

The hockey game between the Strathmore Beavers and the Gleichen Midgans played on Gleichen last Thursday night was won by the Midgans.

The game was quite exciting and interesting a very rapid game and

### Gleichen Farmers to Hear J. G. Haney, Farm Expert

#### Tuesday Afternoon, February 2

The diversified farming meeting to be held in Gleichen, on Friday, Feb. 2nd promises to be one of the most important gatherings of farmers ever held in this district. The speaker, J. A. Haney, is probably the outstanding diversified farming expert on the American continent. He has had wide experience, winning his success from failure over a period of many years of close association with all problems that face farming endeavor in this western country. His talks are very informative and he is an adept at answering questions, this being a special feature of his meetings.

Mr. Haney's tour of Alberta is characteristic of the man. He will speak afternoon and evening at 24 places in little more than twelve days. Where he is unable to get train connections he will drive from town to town. He is not sparing himself in this campaign and his most satisfying reward will be the large audiences. In view of the importance of his subject, the prominent place he holds as an expert and the fact that at almost all his talks he will illustrate his subject with moving picture films, there should be no question as to the size of his audience.

The Gleichen Call cheerfully joins with its contemporaries, The Calgary Herald and Alberta Farmer in the public service project of financing hall and publicity arrangements for Mr. Haney's meeting and urges its readers to do their part by meeting and listening to the great diversified farming expert at the local meeting.

The local meeting is to be held in the Gleichen Community Hall on the afternoon of Tuesday, February 2nd.

### GLEICHEN WOMEN'S INSTITUTE DANCE

#### Friday, February 12th

On Friday, February 12, the Gleichen Women's Institute will give their annual dance in the Community Hall and are preparing to do some new features that are not at the present time prepared to announce further than that they hope to make this dance the most enjoyable of the many they have given in Gleichen. The wise will keep this date free.

### GLEICHEN EASTERN STAR DANCE

#### Tuesday, February 2nd

The members of the Alberta Star Chapter, No. 18, O.E.S., have decided to hold their annual dance on Monday, February 2nd, in the Gleichen Community Hall.

This year the Star is going about the arrangements quite different of that of former years and instead of placing "amusement" cards have sent out large posters inviting all their friends to join them in making this dance the most successful.

One reason for the difference is that the dance is in aid of their home benevolence fund and on this account they are going to extra trouble and care to make it an exceptional one.

Tickets are being offered for sale at the Gleichen store, and also at the other of the surrounding towns, and can be obtained by asking for them. A few days made by boys on both teams, which goes to show that at least on the boys are a little older and heavier than they will be on next season.

There were no promises and the game was exceedingly close with Dux Jumps asking for reference to the satisfaction of all.

Following is the Gleichen lineup: Goal, Pat Beach; defense, Geo. B. B. and Bert B. B.; offense, Billy Taylor, left wing, R. McCarty; right wing, C. McCarty; center, J. McCarty.

### BOARD OF TRADE MET ON MONDAY

A meeting of the Gleichen Board of Trade was held in the Queens Hotel on Monday, January 19th, with President A. R. Yates in the chair.

Mr. Hutchison reported that a satisfactory schedule of rates for the skating rink had been arranged and that negotiations with the mortgagees were proceeding and were expected to be satisfactorily concluded. A recommendation that a committee be appointed to see that the rules of the rink were lived up to was approved and Messrs. Starr and Beach were appointed as the committee. A vote of thanks was given to Mr. Hutchison for his work.

The correspondence with the Department of Public Works and Mr. Buckley regarding the change of route of the Calgary-Medicine Hat highway and the completion of the road to Arrowwood was read and the secretary was instructed to write to Mr. Buckley asking him to use his efforts to have the completion of the Arrowwood road included in the estimate for 1926.

A discussion upon the question of establishing a market for farm produce in the town took place and a committee of five was appointed to investigate the subject fully and report to the next meeting.

Mayor Michael reminded the meeting of the annual ratepayers' meeting on 25th January and asked the members of the council to be present at the full attendance of the ratepayers and the council members to act as candidates for the council were fully nominated.

It was resolved to bring to the attention of the town council the need of protection to the public by fencing the vacant lot upon the corner adjoining the Bank of Commerce building.

### K. O. P. INSTALLS THEIR OFFICERS

On Monday night Golden Jubilee Lodge No. 35 Knights of Pythias held their annual installation of officers in the Memorial Hall, when Acting Grand Chancellor, Commander A. V. Cooke conducted the ceremony in a very creditable manner, assisted by several grand representatives. The officers for the ensuing year are as follows:

C.C. Geo. Bell.  
V.C. A. V. Cooke.  
P.M. A. Wilson.  
M.E. R. S. Dr. G. H. Fargnham.  
M.P. Wm. McCann.  
M.E. Henry Samson.  
M.W. Harry Carrick.  
M.A. H. Bowen.  
I.O. G. H. Walker.  
O.G. J. B. Bogie.

The annual report showed No. 35 Lodge was very flourishing both financially and in membership, as well as possessing a very enthusiastic lot of brothers.

Soon after the World War started out of a membership of one hundred there was not enough left who had not enlisted or moved elsewhere to continue the regular meetings and this lodge suspended. However, last March old Golden Jubilee—this lodge has been for the reason of the U.F.A. Local of Shoolieville, Alberta, will hold a dance and oyster supper in the Jack McKay Building, at Shoolieville, on Friday, January the 2nd.

Admission to Dance: Gents 50c, Ladies Free, Supper 50c each. Good Music and a general good time assured.

### CLUNY GUN CLUB DANCE AND CARDS

#### Friday, January 29th

The Cluny Gun Club annual dance will be held in the Cluny Pavilion on Friday, January 29th, for which Max. just time. Trainer's orchestra has been engaged. The admission is \$1.00 for gentlemen and ladies free. A free supper and dance music will also be provided. During the evening there will be everyone will be welcomed and

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### New Arrivals

Our first shipment of Spring Gingham and Fancy Dress Goods arrived Monday. Gingham in plaids, checks, stripes and a lovely range of colors and patterns, and the Prices are right.

27<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>c. yd., 33<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>c. yd., 37<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>c. yd. and 55c. yd. These gingham must be seen to appreciate the VALUES.

Artificial Silk Dress Goods. Lovely color stripe patterns, 34 inches wide, 65c. Yd. PULLOVER Brand Ladies Silk Hose, \$2.00 Pair.

All the newest shapes

### SWEET HEART Brand Children's Classmate Hose.

We replace any pair that prove defective. Will not shrink with washing as do the ordinary kind.

### Men's Wear Dept.

Genuine English Broadcloth Dress Shirts in cream, tan and darker colors. Each \$3.95

A new shipment of Society Club Caps in the newest shapes and materials. \$2.50 and \$3

### GROCERY DEPT.

Five more cases of the Real Sunbelt Oranges arrived Wednesday to be sold at a real Bargain Price, 3 doz. for 85c.

Fresh Lettuce, Celery, and Bananas for Thursday, Friday and Saturday

### HORSE SALE

AT GLEICHEN FEED BARN AT 2 P. M.

Saturday, January 30th

#### 40 HEAD OF HORSES

20 Well-Broke Work Horses ranging from 1150 to 1400 Pounds, 4 to 8 years.

20 Head Halter-Broke Horses, Good Useful Work Stock.

Admission to Dance: Gents 50c, Ladies Free, Supper 50c each.

Good Music and a general good time assured.

EVERYBODY COME

CLUNY GUN CLUB DANCE AND CARDS

Friday, January 29th







# ANNOUNCEMENT

## T. H. BEACH IS SELLING OUT

In return for 20 years of generous patronage I am going to offer the people of Gleichen and district my entire stock at cost price, not even adding the freight.

**My Store is Leased. Machinery Sold  
The Sale is Genuine. - Terms Cash**

**No goods returned or guaranteed.**

**Sale to start Monday, January 25th**

**OVER \$8,000.00 STOCK**

**762 Pairs of Shoes for Men and Boys**

Every pair is good quality and worth today's retail price.  
No dead stock.

Rubbers, all kinds. Overshoes, 1, 2 and 3 buckle. Felt Shoes.  
Tennis Shoes, Moccasins, Shoe Polish, Laces, Insoles.

24 Sets of Harness, Collars all sizes and kinds, Bridles,  
Sweat Pads Brown, Back, Deer Hair and Felt  
Lines, Hame straps, Breeching, Crooper and Hip, Side straps  
Breast straps chain and leather, martingales, traces,  
Back bands, Belley bands, Halters, Riding bridles,  
Strap work of all kinds, Spreaders, Yankee breeching  
Whips and lashes, Binder whips.

**Rubber and Leather, 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> to 6 in.**

**Mr. Thresher get your Belting**

Trunks, Club Bags, Suit Cases, Hand Bags, Purses, Etc.

Navaio Blankets, Saddle pads  
Car rug, Horse blankets  
Indian blankets, Gloves, Mitts  
Pullover, Overalls, Pants  
Socks, Shirts, Leather Vests  
Bits, Spurs,  
Rope Halter and Larriet

Harness Hardware of Every  
Description  
Brushes, Combs, Axel Grease  
Grain sacks, cotton and jute  
Golf clubs, balls and bags  
Leather by the pound or side  
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Invoices, Stock Sheets and Private Mark at your disposal to prove that I am selling without a profit

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Long Straw Collars,	regular	\$8.00,	now	\$ 6.00
Deer Hair Pads	-	"	1.10,	now .90
Harness,	-	"	55.50,	now 45.00
Overalls,	-	"	3.00,	now 2.00

**Come Early and take Your Choice**

**January 25th. - - - T. H. BEACH**











